



**State of Louisiana**  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
OFFICE OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE MINERAL AND ENERGY BOARD

**TO:** STATE MINERAL AND ENERGY BOARD MEMBERS

**FROM:** EMILE FONTENOT *E.F.*  
PETROLEUM LANDS DIRECTOR  
OFFICE OF MINERAL RESOURCES

**DATE:** APRIL 11, 2018

**NOMINATION AND TRACT REPORT**

**I. PRESENT LEASE SALE**

A. Approval by the Board was previously granted to Staff to process and advertise 7 tracts in the Official Journal of the State and in the Official Journal of the parishes wherein the lands are located for the April 11, 2018 Mineral Lease Sale.

For the April 12, 2017 Mineral Lease Sale, this office received 6 nominations for advertisement.

B. A request by Texas Petroleum Investment Company (TPIC) dated April 9, 2018 to pull Tract 44859 from the April 11, 2018 lease sale or otherwise suspend and delay.

**II. FUTURE LEASE SALE**

A. 35 nominations were received at the Office of Mineral Resources for the June 13, 2018 Mineral Lease Sale.

For the June 14, 2017 Mineral Lease Sale, this office received 4 nominations for advertisement.

**III. OTHER BUSINESS**

A. None